

ALEXANDRIA. VA

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 28.

THE DENSE ignorance of northern people in respect of their fellow citizens whose lot was cast in the South is phenomenal. Not many weeks ago a northern republican Congressman, in a moment of social aban don, acknowledged to a southern colleague, a distinguished, courteous and dign!fied gentleman, who had been Gov ernor of his State, that he had thrown his arm around him twice, apparently lovingly, but really to find out whether he came to the Capitol wearing a belt and brace of revolvers. Assistant Postmaster General Clarkson, in a recent speech at Boston, stated that a postmaster in the South not only had his leg broken but had it set at right angles by his white neighbors, simply | itors in the city from all over the South, because he was a negro. And yet the conetituents of the Congressman referred to think be is intelligent enough to represent them in the U.S. House of Representatives, and President Harrison thinks Mr. Clarkson sufficiently well informed to have the disposition of all the 4th class postoffices in the country at his command. Now everybody at all familiar with southern people knows that to be the Governor of a southera State a man must be a gentleman, and that a southern gentleman would no more think of carrying revolvers about with him than would en f om the Nor h, and also that southern people, instead of hating negroes because they are negroes, rather like them for that reason, but do dislike the white men who put the poor ignorant negroes up to all their deviltry. But if northern men intelligent enough to fill the positions of the two referred to be so ignorant of the people of one half of the country, as they must be from what they say, it is by no means worderful that those not so intelligent belisve that the white people of the South spend most of their time in killing northern men and buildozing negroes.

IN RICHMOND, the capital of his State, the State be leved so wall and for which he sacrificed so much, a statue of the noblest gentleman of his generation will be unveiled to-morrow, in the presence of thousands of the survivors of his army, and of tens of thousands of their sons, whose eyes will gaze upon the flag under which he gained his many victories and whose ears will hear the music with which his were familiar during four long years of cruel war. But neither bronze nor marble is needed to preserve the name and fame of General Robert Edward Lee, for his memory will last as long as the waters of his State shall flow toward the sen, and will be cherished while duty and glory shall continue to inspire the sons of men.

MR. T. V. WHITE of New York, who poses as a southern man because he lived in the South during the first six weeks of his life, says the war proved the fallacy of the belief Southerner could whip six Yankees." On the contrary, the pension rolls prove that the imaginary belief referred to was sustained by the facts of the

#### FROM WASHINGTON. " [special Correspondence of the Alexa. GAZETTS]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28, 1890. Senator Ingalls will be the orator at Gettysburg next Friday-Decoration Day.
In his oration he will draw a picturesque comparison between the levalty exhibited there and the "disloyalty" attending the unveiling of the Lee statue at Richmond the day before, comment on the different feel-ing evoked by the sight of the Union and the "rebei" flag, and in effect, assert his bclief that the "ex-rebele" still have "rebellion" in their hearts, and would resort to overt acts if it were not for their dread of the "patriotic and patient North."

Now that Mr. Speaker Reed has returned. a caucus of the republican members of the House will be called to-aight to consider the anti-gerrymander and the national election bills It is understood the former will be abandoned, but that the latter will be agreed upon as the only means by which the republicans can possibly retain their majority in the next Hou e. The President, it is said, is decidedly in favor of such a law.

The Senate committee on claims to-day ordered a favorable report on the bill to reembursed the States of Virginia and Mary. land the amount advanced by them in 1791 to aid in the erection of the Capitol and other public buildings in Washington. Virginia's claim amounts to about \$120,000.

Langston, the colored man to whom the republican members of the House elections committee has awarded the seat to which Mr. Venable was elected, was at the Capitol to-day. He says he will be a candidate for Congress in his district next fall, whether he have opposition in his own party or not and will be elected. He also says he will go as a delegate to the next national repub lican convention, and will pay his full share of the delegation's fare and liquor bill.

It is reported here that a strong syndicate, with two million of English capital at their disposal, at the head of which is Assistant Postmasier General Clarkson, and in which Senator-elect Brice, of Ohio, and several Senators, Colonel Dudley and others are interested, have bought fifty-two thousand acres of wooded land at the mouth of Aquia Creek, on the Potomac river, where they will erect large works for the manufacture of wood alcohol and acid, charcoal, and also smelting works and other manufactories. They will also engage in shipbuilding. One part of their plan is to build a railroad from their plant to Washington Junction on the B & O. R. R, near the Point of Rocks, over which they will get their supplies of coal and iron ore.

In the Senate to-Jay Mr. Vance present ed a petition from the Farmers' Alliance of Washington county, Va, for the estatlishment of government storebouses and for lending money to farmers on their crops

ordered a favorable report on the bill to purchase the square of ground commencing at the south west intersection of Pennsylvania avenue and 11.h street for a city post-

A large number of people left here tc-day for Richmond. Every train had double sections, every section extra care, and every car was crowded. All the Virginia demccratic Congressional delegation have gone except Mr. Edmunds who remains here to lock after his bill for a public building at Boanoke which he has been informed may come up at any moment. The republican mem bers of the delegation are still here. It is probable the House will adjourn to-

morrow evening until Monday next.

The bar at the Congressional Hotel, near the Capitol, and the Senate restaurant did a largely increased business to-day, in consequence of order issued by Mr. Speaker Reed prohibiting the

The following is the only change in the fourth class posteffices of Virginia that was made to day: Richland, Stafford county, Nannie W. Moncure appointed postma ter, vice G. D. Edmonds, re-

Mrs Lewis Washington, the vice regent for West Virginia, took a party to Mount Vernon yes-terday evening, among whom were ex-Congress-man Valentine, of Nebraska, who is a candidate to succeed Mr. Canady, as Sergeant at srms of the Senate, Dr. P. S. Roy, Mr. George Jenison, of Chatham, N. Y., Judge J. B. Sener, Mrs. E. S. Bunker and Miss J. Laura Dunbar. The party were treated with great courtesy on the new and handsome iron steamer, Charles Macalester, by Captain Blake, and on the grounds by Superin-

### The Lee Monument Unveiling

The preparations for the unveiling of the equestrian statue of General Robert E. Lee in Richmond to-morrow have been completed. It is estimated that there will be 50,000 vic-No rooms are to be had at the hotels, and cots are at a premium.

Every typ , of southern character and cos tume is already represented. Gray slouch hate and butternut suits make the atmos phere cloudy, and "Dixie," played by the bands, starts the promenading veterans into marching step.

The Louisiana Tigers are among the atrivals The Jefferson Davie mansion is pre: tily decorated, and the stars and bars are flusting side by side with the Stars and Stripes.

Among the arrivals of distinguished ex-Confederates are Gen. Joseph E. Johnston and Governor Gordon, of Georgia. General Johnston, who is about eighty-three years old, is probably the oldest prominent ex-Confederate now living. When he removes the veil from the statue be will be flacked on one side by a one-legged Confederate veteran, and on the other side by a one-armed veteran bearing Confederate flags.

Misses Mary and Mildred Lee, daughters of Gen. R. E. Lee, have arrived in the city and will be present at the memorial cercmonies. The Misses Lee will assist at the reception to be given at the military ball to-

night. Hon. J. L M. Carry, who served on Gen. Johnston's stell will give a dinner this evertog in honor of his old commander, at which some of the quests will be Governor Gordon. of Georgia; G vernor Fowls, of North Carcline; Senator Carliele, Gen. Wade Hampton, Gen. Fitz Lee, Sepator Reagan, of Texa Senator Danie', Hon. Robert M. McLane, ex-minister to France, and Hon. John Rat dolph Tucker.

A feature which excites especial comment from strangers is the extensive display of the United States colors everywhere.

Decorations are being rapidly put up, and among the red and white and the red, white and blue, are the orange and black, the col ors of Maryland.

The decorations of some of the private houses are very unique. Hanging from the windows of a residence on Franklin street are the State flags of Maryland, Virginia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Florida and South Carolina. All these states are represented by a lies, each fair woman making the flag of her own native State.

These in charge of the bail to be given by

the Marylanders to-night are working hard on every detai', and it promises to eclipse

the famous Continental ball. The Fifth Maryland Regiment, nearly 500 strong, left Baltimore for Richmond last night to participate in the ceremonies. The V-teran Corps and the Confederate societies will leave this evening.

The annual reunion of the Association of the Army of Northern Virginia will be held at 8 o'clock to-night in the hall of the House of Delegates. There will be an introductory address by the President, Gen. W. H Payce Fauquier, and officers for sning year will be elected, after which General E. M. Law, of South Carc-lina, will deliver the annual ad lina, will deliver the annual ad dress. General Law was a gallant officer, and is a magnetic and finished orator. A ter the oration the company will repair to Sanger Hall, where the banquet will be

A LETTER TO "COL" SHEPARD .- Mr. D. C. Richardson, of Richmond, has written a atives of the Pennsylvania Railroad Com-letter to "Col." Elliott F. Shepard, of the pany, were in Fredericks urg on Saturday New York Mail and Express, who has recently been writing so bitterly against the South and of the Lee Monument, to be unveiled in R chmond tc-morrow. After a suitable introduction, the letter proceeds as fol-lows. It is probable the suit brought by her will be compromised by the company lows:

your wrath, fold the ensanguined garment, real 23 that the war is over, allow the holiest emotions of humanity to find a place in your bosom, and permit us, the citizens of a common country, to obey the promptings of lovthat great and good man General Robert E. Lee. If this favor should be granted us, we cordially invite you to be present, and to show our gratt ude we promise you all the notoriety you seek by publicly exhibiting you before half a million of our people as the only man in this country who has ever conceived the thought that our sincere de sire to honor our dead meant disloyalty to on rushing in he found his wife enveloped the Ualon "

# Mr. Eustis's Speech.

The Fenate yesterday resumed the consideration of the bill subjecting imported liquors to the provisions of the laws of the several States. Mr-Eustis said:

It had been amusing to har republican Few England Senators preaching the doctrine of States rights. He had been surprized at the sadden con-version of these republican Senators. He could not understand how it was that they had adjured their political faith, renounced their political ed-ucation, repudiated their political convictious and falsified their political records. Such a perform-ance, intended only to captivate the excited imaginstion of a prohibition audience, had been to him inexpressibly comic. But the novitiate of these Senators had been too short, their probation too slight, to justify their being admitted into full fellowship with believers of States' rights. If, on the question of a federal election law, and on the question of civil rights, those Senstors should show that they had counted their beads and said their prayers, and were truly penitent, States' rights men would be ready to give them their

The bill went over without action.

The Canadian government has decided to enforce the terms of the convention of ISIS in reference to the Atlantic fisheries, except against those United States fishing vessels at two per cent. a year.

The Senate postoffice committee to-day which take out modus vivendi licences.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A Chinese girl has been discovered living in slavery in New York. Bishop James O'Connor, of the Catholic Diocese of Omaha, is dead.

The river Nile is lower than for years, and the crops will likely be a failure. The Aleatians continue their celebrations

in honor of the visit of President Carnot. The Senate finance committee will begin the consideration of the tariff bill tc-mot-

The President leaves Washington this evening to take part in the Garfield monument celebration at Cleveland, Ohio.

James Quick, a miner, was suddenly killed near Duluth, Minn., yesterday, and his wife, on hearing the news, became hopeless-

Ex-Sergeant at Arms Silcott, of the House of Representatives, has been traced to the Seguency region, Canada, but has not been captured.

Col. Elliott F. Shepard's New York Mail and Express claims to have frightened the Richmond people into putting up the Stars and Stripes.

The Peace Union, in session in Washington, yesterday adopted resolutions favoring the abolition of West Point and other military schools.

Emperor William has had a conference with the British ambassador on the subject of the boundaries of the English and German potsessions in Africa. The Anderson Prison stockeds was yes-

terday purchased by the Georgia Encamp-ment, G. A. R., of Americus, Ga., acting for the national body. The rubber goods manufacturers have de cided to advance the price of beiting, pack-

ing, hose and rubber goods generally ten to twenty-five per cent. Rhode Island yesterday, with the meeting of the General Assembly, passed into the hands of democrats, both in the executive

and legis ative branch s of government. In the House of Representatives yesterday he conference report on the customs bill was agreed to. The remainder of the session was spent on the river and harbor appropriation bill.

President Harrison has transmitted to Congress a letter from the Secretary of State apon the recommendation of the Pan-Amer ican Congress that an International American Bank be established.

In the U.S. Senate yesterday, the Vice President announced the appointment of Mr. Backburn as member of the committee on appropriations, and of Mr. Carlisle as a member of the committees on finance, terri tories and woman suffrage.

The sale agents of the six great coa!-pro ducing companies met in New York yesterday and decided to advance the prices of stove and chestnut 25 cent per ton, and egg 15 cents. It was also decided to restrict the production for the month of June to 2,750, 000 tone.

In testing Dr. C. S. Justin's dynamite carridge in Madison county, N Y., yesterday, he big gun exploded into a thousand pieces Nobody was hurt, but there were narrow er-It is said that the dynamite did not explode the gun, but the charge of powder. The cannon used weighed 23,500 pounds. The bore was 12 feet long and 9 inches in diame-

Two boilers at Edgerton colliery, Carbondale, Pa., blew up yesterday, fatally injur-ing William Jones, the fireman, and wrecking several thousand dollars worth of property. Only two months ago two boilers belonging to the same company exploded, killing four employees. In yesterday's explosion the fireman was hurled through the air sixty feet, striking a tree when he fell. He was terribly scalded and bruised. Several others had a narrow escape.

Superintendent of Census Porter has instructed census supervisors to enter in a column headed "refused to answer" names of persons who may refuse to answer the questions in the schedule about mental and physical disability, and those relating to farms, mor goges, &c. No further steps will be necessary on the part of the supervisor or enumerator, and all legal proceedings will be instituted by the Washington office, through the Department of Justice.

Threats of lynching are made in Mecklenburg against John Philips who slew Captain R. E. Overby, and the mitilia have been ordered out.

Petersburg is gay with flags and bunting in honor of the Virginia musical festival, which opened at the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon and was attended by a large and cultured audience. The festival orchestra consists of forty picked musicians from Baltimore, and the festival conductor is Professor Carl Z hran, of Boston, Last night's concert was a magnificent artistic uccess, and the audience in attendance was a most brilliant one.

A commission of physicians, as representto inquire into the condition of Mrs. James R Mezeen, who was injured some time ago in an accident between Quantico and this city. The commission, it is understood, will report that Mrs. Mazzen sustained serious "We therefore ask that you will relent in paying an amount commensurate with the our wrath, fold the assessment commensurate with the injuries.

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS -Robert W. Thornhill, of Appomattox county, was in Lynchburg on Monday and gave an account of terrible miefortunes which befell his fami ly Sunday. In the first place, he went out to his barn to feed his stock early in the morning, and while walking in the tayloft he fell through a conceated opening and broke his arm above the elbow. As soon as possible he walked back to the house for assistance, and as he entered the door he heard screams coming from the kitchen, and in flames, her clothing having caught from the open fireplace. With the aid of his daughter the flames were extinguished, but not before the lady was terribly burned. Shortly after this accurrence a negro boy came rushing into the house with the inform ation that the o'dest son, who had gone to the barn after his father was hurt, had been kicked in the bowels by a victous horse and al icebergs of various sizes. badly injured. Thornhill came to town aftre medical assistance.

STATES INDEBTEDNESS -The census office at Washington, yeste:day made public the first results of the eleventh census in relation to State and local finance.

State debts at the present time is \$228 679. debt and \$33,725,610 floating debt. shows a net decrease in the total debt doring the last ten years of \$54 459 484 the bonded debt having been decreased by \$64 -623,764

The total bonded debt of the United States is shown to have been \$1,709 993 100 in 1880, and \$719,178,570 in 1890. bonded debt of the several States in 1880 was \$259,037,456, and \$191,954,206 at the present time, making a total decrease of \$1,054,897,780.



Proceedings of Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28. SENATE.

Mr. Sherman reported an amendment to he consular and diplomatic appropriation bill, authorizing the President to carry into effect the recommendations of the international conference by the appointment of three commissioners to represent the United States in the inter-Continental railway commission, also to detail army and navy etgineers to survey a line for an international American rallway.

Among the bills reported favorably were the following: Senate bill appropriating \$15,000 for a postoffice building at Fortress Monroe, Va, and Senate bill to provide for a con mission on the subject of the alcoholic liquer traffic.

Mr. Spooner offered a resolution (which was agreed to) calling on the Secre ary of War for information as to the completion of the work of indexing the official records of the rebellion; and as to what steps are necessary to be taken so as to expedite the work so that the entire publication may be accomplished within three years.

The Senate bill subjecting imported liquors to the laws of the several States was again taken up, and Mr. Morgan made an argument against its constitutionality.

HOUSE.

The House was called to order this morning by Speaker Reed.

An immense floral tribute, fully four feet in height, adorned a front desk in honor of Mr. Vaux, Mr. Randall's successor, who was present and the recipient of many congratulations and friendly greetings.

After the reading of the journal, Mr. O'Neil', of Pennsylvania, presented the credentials of Mr. Vaux, and they having been read by the Clerk be escorted Mr. Vaux 'o the bar of the House, and the latter gentleman qualified as a representative from the 3d district of Pennsylvania. Mr. Vaux affirmed, and as he took his seat he was greeted with applause.

A bill was passed appropriating \$125,000 for a national military park at the battle field of Chickamauga.

A conference was ordered on the naval appropriation bill; and then the House went into committee of the whole (Mr Burrows, of Michigan, in the chair) on the river and harbor bill.

#### German Catholics.

MILWAUKEF, May 28 .- Last night the German Catholics of this city made a declara tion of principles which was adopted by the mass meeting. They assure the Pope of their unconditional submission to him, and express their ardent wish that he be returned during his lifetime to his temporal power. The declaration further demands that religious liberty and liberty of conscience shall r. main unaltered and unabridged. It concludes as follows: "We consider the maintenance of such rights absolutely dependent upon the education of our children in our own schools; we demand this privilege and shall, independent of all other political interests, join at the polls those citizens who are of the same opinion concerning church schools, so that in the struggle with oppressors we may be more sure of victory and maintain for our people Christian principles. We therefore fully inderse the resolution adopted by the convention of Catholic benevolent societies of the State in reference to the Bennett law."

sorted quality, Trace Chains, Galvanized Pump Chain and other goods in the same line at low prices at 328 King, corner of Royal street.

Thrashed the Man Who Insulted His Daughter.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA, May 28.-R. E. Hamilton, gambler and gay young man about town, was severely cowhided in the police court room yesterday while court was in session. The lash was administered by George West, an old and honored citizan, whose daughter had been insulted by Hamilton. Hamilton had been trying to pay his attentions to Miss West, but was not ercouraged. Monday he wrote her a very irsulting note, for which he was arrested on compisint of a friend of Miss West. As soon as the young lady's father heard of it he started out to find Hamilton. He failed until yesterday morning, when they met in the police court room while a case was on

# Sentenced.

PARIS, May 28 .- The trial of M Secretan and others connected with the recent copper syndicate was finished to-lay. M. Secretan was convicted and sentenced to six months imprisonment, and to pay a fine of 10,000 france. M. M. Laveissiere and Hentsch were also convicted. M. Joubertthe sons of M. M. Laveisslere and Hentsch and M. M. Arbel and Leevyre were acquit-

# Vessel Ashore.

PHILADELPHIA, May 28 -The Norwegian bark Adolf, from Stettin, reports that on May 19 she went ashore on the east bar of Sable Island at 11 a.m. and remained four hours. Part of the cargo was jettisoned. She also reports that on May 11 latitude 45 N., longitude west she passed sever-

# Earthquake

INDIANAPOLIS, May 28.-Eartl quake shocks were felt here early yesterday. The occupants of a frame building experienced an unusual shock accompanied by a shaking of the house and a sound like the rust-The report shows that the principal of the ing of volumes of water beneath. Nine dis-

# Fatal Accident

LANCASTER, Pa., May 28 .- Jesse J Jones, a farmer of Conoy township, while running 083 249 and floating debt increased by \$9,- a steam thresher, yesterday afternoon, was caught by the machinery and almost instantly killed. His body was terribly man-

The President has issued an order closing ernment printing office on Decoration Day. | PRENCH PEAS, very fine, for sale by J. C. MILEUEN.

Telegraphic Brevities. All the Reading Company's collieries are now working nine hours.

Two girls, aged 14, and 6 years, were drowned yesterday while crossing a mil!race at Minneapolis.

John J. Wadsworth, of Erie, was to-day elected R. E. Grand Commander Knights Templar of Pennsylvania.

The condition of the farming lands of Maine is becoming a serious question owing to the continued heavy rains.

The annual meeting of the order of Dunkards at Wabash, Indiana, closed yesterday with the ceremony of washing feet.

The San Josquin and Kings rivers, Callfornia, are higher than every before about Eikhorn. Many thousand acres are inun-Joe Oliver, of New Orleans, last night

knocked out Jack Lawrence, of Detroit, in two rounds before the Columbia club at Naw Orleans. The championship tennis match between

Pettit, of Boston, and Saunders, of England, was continued in Dublin to-day. Pettit won three of 4 sets played. E. Koch, 19 years old, was shot and ic-

stantly killed last night in Springfield, Ill., by a policeman while attempting to escape arrest for raising a disturbance. The one hundred and seventh annual

convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Maryland, was begun in Baltimore to-day. Bishop Paret presided. After devotional exercises, conducted by Arch-deacon Morgan, Dean Rich and Rev. Dr. J. E. Grammer, Rev. Fred. Gibson, preached the sermon.

#### To the Memory of General Robert E. Lee. an American Soldier.

BY GEO, M. VICKERS. Let glory's wreath rest on the warrior's tomb, Let monumental shaft surmount his grave, For all the world yields homage to the brave, And heroes dead have vanquished ev'ry foe. The earth is strown with storied slabs which tol That manliness is born of ev'ry clime. Each sword is drawn to guard a seeming right, For war proc'aims sincere consistency, And victory but sea s just Heaven's decree

O. Western World, what noble men are thine, How brave their hearts, how steadfast to the end The pride of empire is of valor born : The soldier shapes the destiny of man Look, then, ye tyrant kings that rule by fear! Rehold, ye nations of the earth! Our sons Are warriors born : Lee was our son, he sleeps Our son, a soldier, an American! THE MINERAL LANDS OF SPOTTSYLVANIA

-From the White Hall, the Goodwin, the Gold Flats and other gold mining property in Spottsylvania the developments of late, well authenticated, have reached to almost fabulous riches, but on Wednesday of last week Mr. J. M. Patton, the owner of the Randolph Gold Mines, near Parker's Store, in the county, was in the city, and showed us gold ore from his mine which he represented would run from thirty to one hundred dollars to the ton. The specimens Mr. Patton displayed were rich indeed to the naked eye. The crevices in them were literally honeyedcombed, so to speak, with gold. Mr. Patton represented that the Randolph Mines will in the near future be operated on an extensive scale. - Fredericks-

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Carbolic Acid for disinfecting cheap at EUNEST L. ALLEN'S, my 20 Corner King and Pitt streets.

# OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN. At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen held May 27, 1890, there were present. Wm. H. Marbury, esq., President, and Massa, Burke, Bryant, Hinken, McKenzie and Lindsen

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Wm. H. Marbury, eeq., President, and Lindsey.
The certificate of election of Mr. Noble Limited
as Aldermen from the First ward to serve as such
the Lindsey.

Lindsey 1891, was read, and Mr. Lindsey. appeared before the bar and was sworn in by Mr. McKenzie, who cccupied the chair pending the arrival of Mr. Marbury.

An ordinance imposing and collecting taxes on persons, property, income, &c. within the city of Alexandria, Va, for the year commencing on the 1st of June, 1890, and ending on the 31st of May 1891, was read the second and third times and passed by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs Lind, say, Burke, Hinken, Bryant, McKenzie and Mr. President-6. Noes, none.

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An ordinance for imposing and collecting li-censes within the city of Alexandria, Va., for the year commencing on the 1st day of June 1800, and ending on the 31st day of May, 1891, was read the second and third times and passed by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs. Lindsey, Burke, Hinken, Bryant, McKenzie and Mr. President—6. Nose, none. An act to appropriate a part of the city's reven

read the second and third times and passed by the following vote: Ayes, Messrs. Lindsey, Burke, Hinken, Bryant, McKenzle and Mr. President—6

Noes, none.

The petition of various residents of Lee street, between King and Prince streets, for the remova-of the frame stable late'y erected by Sincot & Son was received from the Common Council and their action concurred in.

The resolution that the Auditor be instructed to have 500 copies of the license law printed for distribution, received from the Common Council, was laid upon the table by the full vote present. The board then adjourned.

M. P. VINCENT, Clerk.

#### COMMON COUNCIL. At a regular meeting of the Common Council

of the city of Alexandria, Va., held on the or the day of May, 1890, there were present Messrs Aitcheson, Snowden, C. N. Moore, Fisher, Bal lenger, Jones, Harrison, Strider, Uhler and Harry In the absence of the President, Mr. Snowden

was called to the chair.

A resolution "that the City Council authorize the Auditor to draw his warrant for \$50 in favor of E. E. Downham, chairman of the committee on entertainment of the visiting fremen to Alexandria on June 4, 5 and 6, t) aid in defraying the expense of entertainment on this o ession, we lost by a vote of ayes 9, noes 1, Mr. Fisher voting in the negative for the purpose of moving a re-consideration, which motion being adopted, the reso ution was laid over until the next meeting.

The board then adjourned.

Teste: JNO. T. JOHNSON, Clerk. MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL

NEW YORK, May 28 .- The opening of the stock market this morning was made with a more confident tone than yesterday, and first prices in most cases were from 1/2 to 5/4 per cent, higher than last evening's closing figures. Further improvement was made in the early dealings, but late in the hour the market became very quiet though the best figures were well held. At 11 o'clock the market was quiet and steady to firm and generally at fractional advances over first

BALTIMORE, May 28 .- Virginia 6s consolidated 51a55; 10-40s 43a4414; do 3s 681446814

WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE MAY 2

Flour, fine .....

Superfine .....

..... \$2 25

Extra .. 96556666 Family.....Fancy brands..... 4 30 5 25 083 Wheat, Longberry ..... Fultz......Mixed Fair Wheat. Damp and tough....... Oorn, white...... Yellow.... Mixed..... Corn Mesl..... 398 Butter, Virginia prime ..... Common to middling ... Dried Peaches, peeled. 0.10 unpeoled .... " Cherries..... Best sugar cured liams Butchers' Hams ..... Breakfast Bacon .... 0 5% & 0 0 6% & 0 Bulk shoulders ..... fat backs..... Bacon Shoulders..... Sides..... Lard . Smoked Beef.....

888 0 14 0 5% 0 5% 0 61% Granulated..... Coffees-Rio ..... La Gauyra..... 0.21  $\begin{array}{c} 0.16 \\ 0.16 \\ 0.22 \end{array}$ Java..... Molasses B. S..... " C. B...... 98 0 22 351

5 00 275 8 50 Potomac Shad ... 8 00 0 00 22 00 @ 24 00 Plaster, ground, per ton..... Ground in bags.....

Lump...... 0 70 Fine...... Turk's Island..... 398395 Wool-Long unwashed..... Washed..... Merino, unwashed..... 0 24 0.20 0 32 Do. Washed..... 0.70 Cut do..... Wheat Bran p ton p car... Brown Middlings " 16 00 @ 1675 @ 1625 16 00

White Middlings Cotton Seed Meal 22 00 @ 22 25 The market to-day was quiet and eary, though we make no change in the above quotations for grain, the receipts of which are light. Figs are 1 a2c higher, and sp ing Chickens are la2c lower. Other articles are unchanged.

BALTIMORE, May 28 -Cotton firm; middling 125. Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat-Southern dull and rather ea ier; Faltz 87a92; longberry 88a93; No 2 92; steamer No 2 red 8 longberry \$3293; No 2 winter red soot and May \$90a9134: July \$913a9134; Aug \$913a9136; Sept \$9136. Corn—Southern dull; white \$1443; yellow \$40a4136; Western steady; mixed spot and May \$1a4134; June \$403a; \$403a; July \$403a403a; Aug \$403a403a; steamer \$3836. Oats firm; ungraded Southern and Penna \$1335356; do Western white \$343a3546; do Western white \$343a3546; do Winter \$343a3546; do ern white 344,3515; do mixed 33,34; graded No 2 white 344,35545. Bye quiet and unchanged. Hay steady and unchanged. Provisions steady

and unchanged. CHICAGO, May 28-11:25 s. m.—Wheat—June 93%; July 94½; Aug 93½ Corn—June 33%; July 34%. Oats—June 27; July 26%, 26%. Pork—July \$13.32½; Sept \$13.50. Lard—June \$6.17½; Sept \$5.37½. Shortribs—July \$5.27½a 5.60; September \$5.47½.

NEW YORK, May 28 .- Cotton nominal; uplands 1234; Orleans 12 15-16; futures steady. Flour duli and weak. Wheat quiet and strong Corn quiet and firm. Pork quiet and steady at \$13.75 at 4.25. Laid dull and easy at \$6.274.